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RE: MUR 4719  
New Jersey Republican State  
Committee and H. George  
Buckwald, as Treasurer

Dear Ms. Harbeck :

This is in response to your second letter by facsimile dated and received on June 19, 1998, following our telephone conversation, requesting an extension of 20 days to respond to the Commission's reason to believe finding in the above-referenced matter. After considering the circumstances presented in your letter, the Office of the General Counsel has granted the requested extension. Accordingly, the response is due by the close of business on July 21, 1998. Since this extension will impact the timing of possible preprobable cause conciliation, see Chairman Aikens' June 11, 1998 letter to Peter G. Sheridan, Esq., it is important that the extended deadline be met. If you have any questions, please contact me at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Susan L. Lebeaux".

Susan L. Lebeaux  
Attorney